

Transcript of the Testimony of

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1 the tissues and the carbon dioxide away from the  
2 tissues. And when Steve Wood showed up -- you know,  
3 any healthcare worker would recognize that bleeding  
4 requires immediate attention. When the EMT showed  
5 up, I didn't see any assessment at all on Mr. Aumick  
6 regarding his wounds. Mr. Aumick was laying prone.  
7 There was blood everywhere. There was the back and  
8 forth with the officer about a knife and knife  
9 wounds. It's entirely plausible that he could have  
10 had substantial wounds somewhere else on his body,  
11 and those would need to be immediately identified,  
12 and it would change the urgency of the medical  
13 response.

14 So I guess the biggest problem with Mr. Wood  
15 was that there was no EMT services. He acted in more  
16 of a police officer's role in restraining Shane. And  
17 there was literally no assessment of Mr. Aumick's  
18 medical needs.

19 There was also, I would argue, no real  
20 monitoring. So, you know, if he's not going to do an  
21 assessment, there could at least be some closer  
22 monitoring of what's happening with Mr. Aumick as  
23 he's laying on the ground. And the video shows a  
24 prolonged period where he's completely still and not  
25 making any noises after this, you know, very lengthy,